HOUSE . . . . . . No. 2069

By Ms. St. Fleur of Boston, petition of Thomas M. Menino, Marie P. St. Fleur and Martin J. Walsh relative to the generation and distribution of electricity. Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

Thomas M. Menino Marie P. St. Fleur Martin J. Walsh

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO DISTRIBUTED GENERATION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Chapter 164 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
- 2 inserting in section 94 a new section:
- 3 Section 94I. Review Standard for Standby Connection Tariff
- 4 "Customer-Nominated Contract Demand" Provision. The depart-
- 5 ment, under a filing for review and approval provided in section
- 6 94 or under a petition provided in section 92, shall review the
- 7 terms of any "Customer-Nominated Contract Demand" as pro-
- 8 vided in the tariffs approved under D.T.E. 03-121 (July 23, 2004)
- 9 M.D.T.E. Nos. 136A and 137A-Boston Edison Company;
- 10 M.D.T.E. Nos. 238C, 239C, 254A and 255A-Cambridge Electric 11 Light Company; and M.D.T.E. Nos. 337A and 338A-Common-
- 12 wealth Electric Company with considerations of the public
- weath Electric Company with considerations of the public
- 13 interest, including but not limited to Homeland Security prepara-
- 14 tion, improved environmental performance, avoided electricity
- 15 transmission costs, reduced energy costs through combined heat
- 16 and power generation, decreased exposure to electricity price
- 17 volatility, increased efficiency and improved power quality and
- 18 reliability.